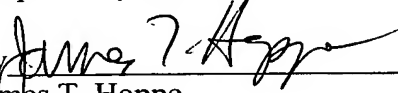


REMARKS

In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

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